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FM AMEMBASSY SOFIA

TO SECSTATE WASHDC IMMEDIATE 8029

C O N F I D E N T I A L SOFIA 0802

E.O. 11652: GDS

TAGS: EFIN, BU

SUBJECT: BULGARIAN DOLLAR BONDS

REF: STATE 104441

1. HEARTENING THAT BULGARIANS HAVE PICKED UP OUR SUGGESTION  
THAT THEY TALK WITH WOODS ABOUT THE BONDS.

2. APPROACH REPORTED REFTTEL WOULD SEEM TO BE IN RESPONSE  
TO OUR INITIATIVE DURING AMBASSADOR'S CALL ON DEPUTY PRIMIN IVAN  
POPOV REPORTED SOFIA 519 APRIL 9. AT THAT TIME (SEE PARA 3  
THAT MESSAGE) I INFORMED HIM THAT WOODS PLANNED TO BE IN EUROPE  
IN JUNE AND HAD MENTIONED POSSIBILITY OF MEETING IN PARIS;  
AND AS ALSO REPORTED, POPOV SAID WOODS MIGHT BE INVITED TO COME  
TO SOFIA.

3. UNDER THE CIRCUMSTANCES, WE ARE A LITTLE CONCERNED  
THAT BULGARIANS MAY INTERPRET OUR UNCOMPREHENDING  
RESPONSE TO THEIR INVITATION AS SOMETHING OF A COLD SHOWER.  
TOROMANOV HIMSELF MAY HAVE HAD "NO IDEA WHAT WAS BEHIND THE  
REQUEST" BUT HAVE A CLEAR IDEA AND SHOULD NOT NEED FURTHER INFOR-  
MATION.

4. AMBASSADOR IS SEEING LUKANOV ON ANOTHER MATTER MONDAY AND  
TUESDAY, AND UNLESS DEPT HAS OBJECTION WILL TELL HIM HOW PLEASED  
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WE ARE THAT GOB ARE MOVING IN THIS MATTER AND THAT HIS INVITATION

BEING CONVEYED TO WOODS.

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